Newspaper Articles promoting Communal Strife.

141. **MR. TARIATU KUNJITOMMAN** (*Muvattupuzha* cum *Todupuzha*): Have the Government considered the desirability of efficient arrangements, in the interests of the public, to bring to their notice newspaper articles calculated to promote communal strife and cause mental agony to loyal citizens of the State devoted to their religion and community ?

MR. KAYYALAM PARAMESVARAN PILLAI (*Additional Head Sirkar Vakil*): The answer is in the affirmative.

License Fee for Newspapers.

142. **MR. P. K. NARAYANA PILLAI** (*Ambalapuzha*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the total amount collected from newspaper publications as license fee under the Newspapers Regulation ; and

(*b*) whether the amount so collected is invested or deposited anywhere so as to earn interest, and, if so, where and at what rate of interest ?

MR. KAYYALAM PARAMESVARAN PILLAI (*Additional Head Sirkar Vakil*): (*a*) The amount collected up to the 14th Karkatakam 1101, is Rs. 3,255.

(*b*) The amount is now held as a deposit not bearing interest. The question of allowing interest thereon is under consideration.

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